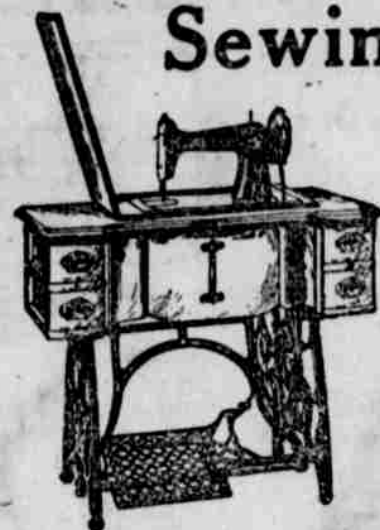


# \$1000.00 REWARD

One thousand dollars in cash (\$1000.00) will be paid by the "NEW ERA" Club management to any person or persons, firm or corporation, who will devise a better sales plan, acceptable to us for you to buy a Sewing Machine on.

## NOW COMES THE GENUINE Copyrighted "NEW-ERA" Sewing Machine CLUB SALE



The Greatest Success Ever Known—  
The Original "NEW ERA" Plan is Supreme—No Other Plan As Good.

**SALE OPENS MONDAY**

### What Does This Sale Offer?

In the first place it offers a wonderful opportunity to obtain one of these world famous "STANDARD" ROTARY SEWING MACHINES (of which there are 100 in this sale) at an unusually low price and upon payments that will never be missed.

- See table of payments on right.
- 1st—You have choice of any model of the best machine in the world.
  - 2nd—All "New Era" Club prices are less than regular cash prices.
  - 3rd—"New Era" terms are wonderfully arranged to accommodate all. Pay 5c down or all cash—according to your means. You win either way.
  - 4th—Each accepted club member secures immediate delivery of machine selected.
  - 5th—No collectors or agents to bother you. You save expense and agents' commissions.
  - 6th—Absolutely latest models. Direct from factory to you. All attachments.
  - 7th—Free lessons by experts. Free delivery. Lifetime guarantee.
  - 8th—Six new models of machines to choose from.
  - 9th—Cost to you less than usual spot cash price.

WITH OUR PLAN  
**5c FIVE CENTS**  
IS THE  
FIRST PAYMENT  
THEN YOU PAY  
**10c THE SECOND WEEK**  
15c The Third Week  
20c The Fourth Week  
**25c THE FIFTH WEEK**

Then continue as follows:

|     |               |        |               |            |               |
|-----|---------------|--------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| 30c | the 6th Week  | 90c    | the 13th Week | \$1.50     | the 20th Week |
| 35c | the 7th Week  | 95c    | the 14th Week | \$1.55     | the 21st Week |
| 40c | the 8th Week  | \$1.00 | the 15th Week | \$1.60     | the 22nd Week |
| 45c | the 9th Week  | \$1.05 | the 16th Week | \$1.65     | the 23rd Week |
| 50c | the 10th Week | \$1.10 | the 17th Week | \$1.70     | the 24th Week |
| 55c | the 11th Week | \$1.15 | the 18th Week | \$1.75     | the 25th Week |
| 60c | the 12th Week | \$1.20 | the 19th Week | \$1.80     | the 26th Week |
| 65c | the 13th Week | \$1.25 | the 20th Week | \$1.85     | the 27th Week |
| 70c | the 14th Week | \$1.30 | the 21st Week | \$1.90     | the 28th Week |
| 75c | the 15th Week | \$1.35 | the 22nd Week | \$1.95     | the 29th Week |
| 80c | the 16th Week | \$1.40 | the 23rd Week | Machine is |               |
| 85c | the 17th Week | \$1.45 | the 24th Week | Now Yours  |               |

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As illustrated a \$65.00 LIST PRICE Automatic drop head, sit-straight, lock and chain stitch "Standard" Rotary Machine for \$39.00.

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## THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

### BARRE DAILY TIMES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916.

#### The Weather

Fair to-night and Sunday; colder to-night and frost; moderate to fresh north-wind.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

It's time to buy that new hat, better look to-day. Nourse & Wilson—adv.  
Mrs. Grace E. Carr has returned from Grand Isle, Camp Vermont, Lake Champlain, where she has been for the summer.  
Miss Grace Wylie leaves to-morrow for North Tunbridge, Mass., where she is to resume her duties as a school teacher Monday morning.  
Rev. Edgar Crossland, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, leaves early in the coming week for Londonderry, N. H., where he is to attend the presbytery of Newburyport, of which he is the moderator.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Another invoice of those pretty waists just received at The Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.—adv.

Our aims: Satisfactory tonorial service and sanitary methods. Ross' Depot Square Barber Shop.

Members of Ruth chapter, O. E. S., wishing to go by automobile to the district meeting at Richmond Oct. 4, are requested to leave their names with the committee, J. R. Mackay, A. F. Roach or James Gow, not later than Monday, Oct. 2.

Dockets for the October and November terms of supreme court have been assigned to local attorneys. At the capital the court comes in Oct. 3 and again Nov. 7, at Brattleboro the third Tuesday in March, at St. Johnsbury the third Tuesday in April and in Rutland on the third Tuesday in May. The 23rd of October is designated as the last day for settling cases that are to be tried at the November sitting in Montpelier. The trial calendar for the first week contains three Washington county cases.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

You are cordially invited to attend millinery opening Saturday, Sept. 30, Mrs. S. E. Lavolette.  
A display case with specimens of work from the F. C. Eaton studio has been placed at the entrance to the second and third stories of the Campbell block.

On Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock on the G. L. Putnam or H. J. Colby farm in Williamstown, in the Lynde farm neighborhood, will be held the largest auction of the season; 54 head of choice stock, including registered Holstein cows, Ayrshires and Guernseys, will be sold. The stock is all young, well marked and an exceptional lot. See ad. on page 7. D. A. Perry, auctioneer—adv.

A series of Sunday morning and evening services that will continue until the new year is announced at the First Presbyterian church, where the minister, Rev. Edgar Crossland, is to devote his Sunday mornings to sermons on the twelve disciples and the evening homilies on the commandments. The following arrangement of the Sabbath morning sermons has been submitted to the parishioners: Oct. 1, "He appointed twelve"; Oct. 8, Peter; Oct. 15, Andrew; Oct. 22, James, son of Zebedee; Oct. 29, John; Nov. 5, Philip; Nov. 12, Bartholomew; Nov. 19, Thomas; Nov. 26, Matthew; Dec. 3, James, son of Alphaeus; Dec. 10, Simon; Dec. 17, Simon; Dec. 24, Judas. The commandments are to be taken in their order and the series will end with a sermon on the "New Commandment" Dec. 17.

Torrential rains yesterday afternoon transformed the paved highway in the business section into a small river that flowed northward with the swiftness of a mountain stream in spring. Depot square went through its periodic experience of inundation and elsewhere yards and yards of traveled way were under water for the better part of an hour. Water hurrying down Washington street hill from the uplands above tore savagely at the curbing on the south side of the highway flanking the City hospital grounds and left great gaps in the gutter. On North Main street Manager George Maniatty of the United Fruit store established a connecting link between business buildings to the north and those to the south by building a small plank bridge in front of his store in the Durkee block. Otherwise pedestrians would have been held up until the water subsided. Street department employees had their work in front of them after the storm and several days will probably elapse before the damage on the hill streets is repaired. The floor of the Granite street bridge was under water last night and this morning, but not from any overflow of the river, as the bridge floor is so constructed as to form a catch basin for water flowing down the hill.

#### Notice to the Public.

The H. J. Smith Co. have accepted the clerks' bill and are now a union store, employing union help only. They are desiring your patronage. When buying, remember there are union stores in Barre that you should support. See that they get it. We thank those who are standing by us and the merchants who are fair to organized labor.  
Twenty-six (26) union stores. Men! Why not all stores on union basis?  
Clerks' union, R. C. I. P. A., local 247.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Regal shoes for women at Shea's Shoe store.

Uva di California per fare vino Rival-gersi. Charles Zanoloni.  
Dance in Howland hall Saturday night. Carroll's orchestra—adv.

October Columbia records now on sale at Russell's, the Red Cross Pharmacy.  
Mrs. V. Day arrived in the city from Montreal last night to visit her sister, Mrs. Stuart of 34 Park street, for a few days.

At the Swedish church to-morrow, Sunday school will meet at 10:30. In the evening at 7 o'clock, preaching service. Tuesday at 7:30 classes will be organized for the study of English. No tuition fee. Come and join from the beginning.

The members of all departments of the H. E. Sunday school are requested to be at the church promptly at 10:15 a. m., Sunday, to be seated in their classes with teachers. Boys and girls of beginners, primary and junior department in their seats at 10:30 will receive the rally day button. It is hoped that all members of the home department will be present and sit together.

Manager John E. Hoban has been successful in booking a number of superior attractions for the months of October and November. A partial list of the entertainments booked for the Barre opera house has been issued and other bookings will be given out from time to time. Next week there is a stock attraction and on Oct. 9 Barre and Montpelier playgoers may greet May Irwin in "33 Washington Square," a vehicle which the noted actress has used very successfully. "Some Baby," a comedy, with Grace Merritt and a strong supporting company is the Columbus day attraction with matinee and evening performances. The first musical comedy offering is "The Blue Paradise," which is to appear Oct. 24, with an unusually large company. "Hobson's Choice," a rollicking comedy that recently closed in Boston, is coming Oct. 28. "Princess of Pilsen" is the musical comedy offering booked for Nov. 6, and another favorite of the same stripe, "Princess Pat," which played in Barre last year, will be here Nov. 17. "Mutt & Jeff" are to make their perennial appearance on the evening of Nov. 20.

#### Who Will Claim Them?

Letters unclaimed for at the Barre post-office for the week ending Sept. 28 were:  
Men—Edward Readley, Blodgett Owen Co., Wesley Demois (2), Mr. and Mrs. George E. Jackson, 429 Sawyer street; Mariano Santander, Ward Silver, Stanley Smith.  
Women—Miss Lucina M. Ryrd, Eugene Fournier, Mrs. Jenn. Gonyo, Mrs. Frances Gauld, Mrs. Chas. Matott, Miss Alice I. Marshall, Mrs. E. Santi, v.

#### Harvest Dinner and Supper, Baptist Church, Wednesday, Oct. 4.

Dinner: Boiled dinner, Squash, Brown bread, White bread, Pumpkin pie, Indian pudding, Mince and Apple pie, Coffee.  
Supper: Meat hash, Vegetable hash, Doughnuts, Cheese, Pickles, Hot rolls, Pie, Coffee.  
5:30 to 7 o'clock. Price, 25 cents.

## Union Dry Goods Company

### Three Big Specials for To-day

These items are extraordinary value and should interest every woman who appreciates real values

If you do your week-end shopping at this store, you will find the most complete assortments of seasonable and desirable merchandise to select from, and the prices, quality considered, cannot be equalled.

We are making new customers every day, by giving the buying public the best possible value for their money.

### Sale Cotton Night Dresses at 79c

Eight dozen Ladies' Fine Cotton and Nainsook Gowns, all clean, new merchandise; high or low neck and trimmed with pretty laces and fine quality hamburgs. This is an extraordinary special, and they are sure to sell out quickly. These Gowns sell regularly as our leader at \$1.00 and many are worth \$1.25 On sale to-day, choice ..... 79c

### Sale of \$1.50 Corsets at \$1.19

We offer, for to-day only, your choice of any of our \$1.50 AMERICAN LADY CORSETS, including the new fall models, a full line of sizes and a model for your particular figure. \$1.50 Corsets at ..... \$1.19

### Sale of Waists To-day at 89c

Every Waist in this lot is new, and there are many pretty styles from which to make your selection. These are our regular \$1.00 leaders, and are exceptional values at the usual selling price.

### On Sale To-day, your choice, 89c

#### Smart New Skirts

##### For Fall Wear

The new styles are indeed attractive. Many of these are plaited and with self belts or girdles; materials such as Wool, Poplins, Fine Serges, etc.

#### New Dresses

Many new and distinctive styles that will appeal to women who wish to be smartly dressed. An excellent assortment, priced from

**\$5.98 to \$25.00**

YOU MUST SEE OUR LINE OF SUITS AND COATS. Every correct style is here for your selection. Models that are exclusive and different.

## THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

191 North Main Street

Telephone 599-M

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Daniel Johnson of Danville is employed as a substitute driver at the fire station.

M. L. Martin of Plainfield arrived in the city and will visit at the home of H. O. Camp of Highland avenue for a few days.

Manager Kenneth McRae of the Union Dry Goods store returned last night from a business visit of several days in New York.

Miss Stella Sleeper, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Reid of Green street, left this morning for Boltonville, where she will visit relatives for a week, before going to her home in Lowell, Mass.

Thomas Forbes of Merchant street, who has been employed in a munitions shop in New Haven, Conn., arrived in the city to-day and will be employed by his mother, Mrs. John Forbes, who recently purchased the Hub restaurant.

James McAdam returned to Orangeburg, N. Y., last night, after visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Margaret McAdam of Church street, during the past week. Mr. McAdam is employed in an electrical plant in Orangeburg.

Jay Coryell, assistant county agent of the Vermont counties, was a business visitor in the city yesterday in the office of County Agent F. H. Abbott. Plans for the winter work were discussed and the work of the past summer along the lines of demonstration crops was also brought into consideration.

A party was tendered Helen Prouty of 7 Summer street yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Bond of East street, when about 25 friends of the young lady assembled to make merry on her eight birthday. Games were enjoyed, with a short program to fill out the entertainment, after which a lunch of ice cream, cake and wafers was served.

#### Two Champlin Surprise Nights.

On Tuesday evening, the Champlin Comedy Co. will give away \$25 in gold. On Wednesday evening, a big novelty will be presented in introducing to the patrons of the opera house the butcher shop. Several surprise packages will be given to those who attend the Monday and Tuesday performances of "The Road to Happiness" and "The Girl He Couldn't Buy." The management find this a novel way of introducing to Barre the Champlin Comedy Co., one of the largest repertory organizations touring the New England states—adv.

#### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DRAUGHTSMAN WANTED: To do scale drawings for 2 or 3 weeks; begin Monday. Don't apply unless thoroughly capable; call in person to-night, 74 Washington street, or Jackson block Monday morning. H. H. Patch, 1681

WANTED—Couple with 2 children, ages 6 and 4, want 2 or 3 furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire of "S." at Times office. 1681

TO RENT—Two furnished front rooms; bath room on same floor. 7 Church street. Inquire of Eastman Bros. 1681

LOST—Fridge, somewhere in this city, a bunch of keys. Finder please return to this office; reward. 1681

Real estate owners, now open your eyes. Investigate, study, and thus become wise, to the fact that

#### Bishopric Wall Board

is better than lath and plaster, saves 40 per cent. in construction, renders 100 per cent. in service. Any weather is good building weather when you use Bishopric Wall Board and Sheathing. Bishopric Roofing is self-protecting and requires no paint.

It beats all other kinds of roofing that's made. And those who have tried it all seem to agree. It drives everything else away into the shade of the elm or the old apple tree.

For your buildings the Bishopric roofing is best. It's used in the North, the South, East and the West. And there's thousands of dollars to be had in it.

For Sale by  
**J. T. CALLAGHAN**  
260 No. Main Street Barre, Vermont

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Uva di California per fare vino Rival-gersi. Charles Zanoloni.  
C. C. Clapp of South Royalton visited his cousin, W. J. Clapp, in Barre yesterday.

Miss Agnes Murphy of Burlington is passing the week-end with friends in Barre.

A. Massoni of Quincy, Mass., arrived in the city last night and will be employed here in the granite industry.

If you want to save a few dollars on your winter hat, call at Mrs. Birnie's, 3 Pleasant street, off Brook street.

We are making candies fresh every day now and offer as a special to-day fancy peanut brittle at 15c a pound, peanut butter molasses kisses 15c a pound, made to-day at Laws.

George Ruel, who has been visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Lander of South Main street, during the past three weeks, left for his home in Burlington this morning.

Since the arrival of the last Vermont regiment of infantry from Eagle Pass, a number of Barre people have motored to the government reservation at Fort Ethan Allen to visit the local boys who accompanied the regiment south. All are counting the days that must be passed at the fort before the companies are mustered out and while there are a number of Barre privates who are assigned to other companies, the majority of them are attached to Co. H and will be permitted to take up their civilian occupations in a week or thereabouts. None of those who claim Barre for their home have been ill.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Uva di California per fare vino Rival-gersi. Charles Zanoloni.  
Mrs. F. P. Wetmore of Merchant street has returned home, after passing a few days with friends in Northfield.

Mrs. G. H. Wilder of Burlington is in the city, having been called here by the condition of her husband, who is at the City hospital recovering from the effects of a leg fracture received Wednesday.

George H. Mattimore of Burlington, arrested on North Main street last night, pleaded guilty to an intoxication charge when arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court this morning and went to jail for 10 days in lieu of paying the minimum fine and costs. William E. Spear, listed as an habitual, acknowledged a subsequent transgression to-day and will serve 30 days in the county jail in addition to paying a \$15 fine and costs. The respondent failed to make a satisfactory disclosure when asked to tell where he purchased the liquor responsible for his condition.

#### Welcome Home the Boys of the First National Guard.

In order to enable friends and relatives to welcome home the boys of the first National Guard, who have just returned from the Mexican border, the Central Vermont railway will run an excursion to Fort Ethan Allen Sunday, Oct. 1, at the following low fares: Northfield \$1.20, Barre and Montpelier \$1 for the round trip. Tickets good going on train leaving Northfield 9:05 a. m., Barre 8:50 a. m., Montpelier 9:15 a. m. Returning, train leaves Fort Ethan Allen 6:55 p. m. See flyers for particulars—adv.

## Fall Shoes 1916

Our Fall Footwear for men and women, boys and girls is at the service of our patrons.

We are showing the season's choicest models. Our shoes come to us from the best makers of shoes in all the wide world. There's character, style and durability in every shoe we recommend—a sort of "made-for-you" appearance that you'll not find in "just shoes."

Regardless of the fact that shoe prices have advanced everywhere, we're still saying—

Men's Shoes at \$2.50, 3.00 to 6.00.

Women's Shoes at \$2.00, 2.50 to 8.00

The best shoe values money can buy at any stated price. Stop in and see the new comers.

## Peoples Shoe Store

C. S. ANDREWS, Proprietor  
Currier Block, Barre 14 State St., Montpelier

## Mackinaws and Sweaters

This is the season of the year when you need a Mackinaw or Sweater and we invite you to inspect our line.

Sweaters from \$1.50 to 10.00.  
Mackinaws from \$5.00 to 12.00.  
Boys' Sweaters from \$1.00 to 4.50.  
Boys' Mackinaws from \$5.00 to 7.50.

**The Frank McWhorter Co.**

## Sporting Goods

### For Fall Just In

Spaulding's Footballs  
Prices, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, 5.00  
Head Harness, Nose Guards, Lacers, Ankle Supports, Megaphones  
Basket Balls, Striking Bags, Boxing Gloves.  
Spaulding Library's for fall, 1916; Guides, 10c and 25c  
For a few days only, we will sell Golf Clubs, Fish Rods and Baseball Bats and Gloves at 20 per cent. discount.  
A few Baseball Gloves at cost.

## C. W. Averill & Co.

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